

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

East Boston Savings Bank,
Petitioner.)

UNITED STATES' MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO EAST
BOSTON SAVINGS BANK'S REQUEST TO AMEND PRELIMINARY ORDER OF
FORFEITURE

(Assented To)

The United States of America respectfully moves for an additional three weeks, until May 23, 2007, to respond to East Boston Savings Bank's ("EBSB") request to amend the Preliminary Order of Forfeiture.

As grounds therefor, the government notes that there is some possibility that the Bank's motion may be resolved without further judicial intervention. While the parties determine how the property forfeiture is going to proceed, the government respectfully seeks an extension in order to avoid having the Bank incur additional attorneys' fees and to avoid the creation of an adversarial posture if unnecessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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